

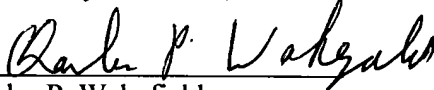
**REMARKS**

Applicants respectfully acknowledge and appreciate the Examiner's indication that Claims 6 and 7 are allowable. Claims 1 through 5 and 8 through 20 have been cancelled without prejudice. This amendment is being made to facilitate the prompt issuance of a Patent including Claims 6 and 7. Additionally, Applicants have included an English language translation of the Fujita German language reference referred to by the Examiner. Applicants respectfully ask the Examiner to consider Claims 6 and 7 in view of the English language translation of the Fujita reference and urge that the Examiner allow the case.

Further, Applicants anticipate including claims similar to Claims 1 through 5 and 8 through 20 in a continuing application to be filed in the future.

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